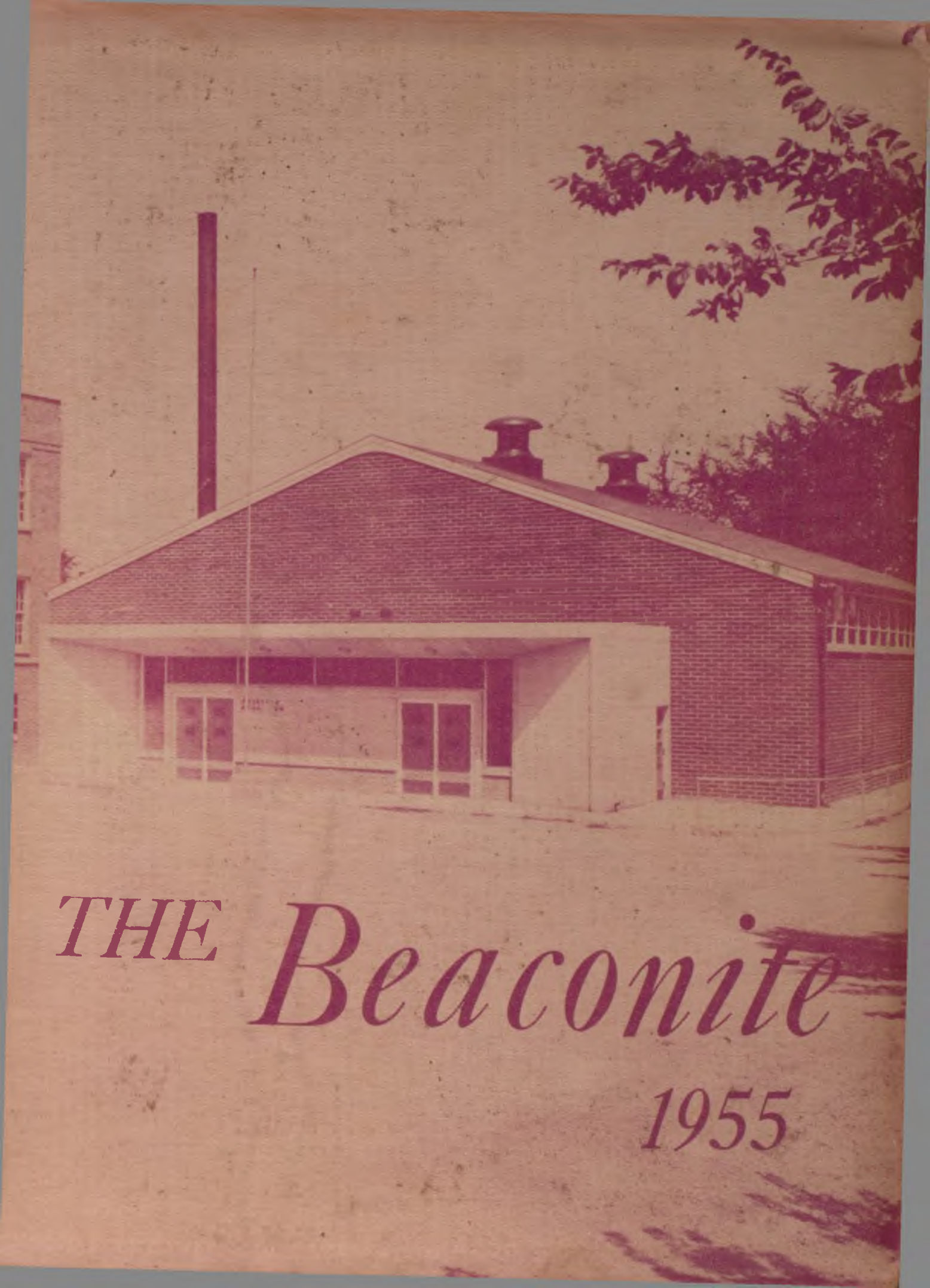


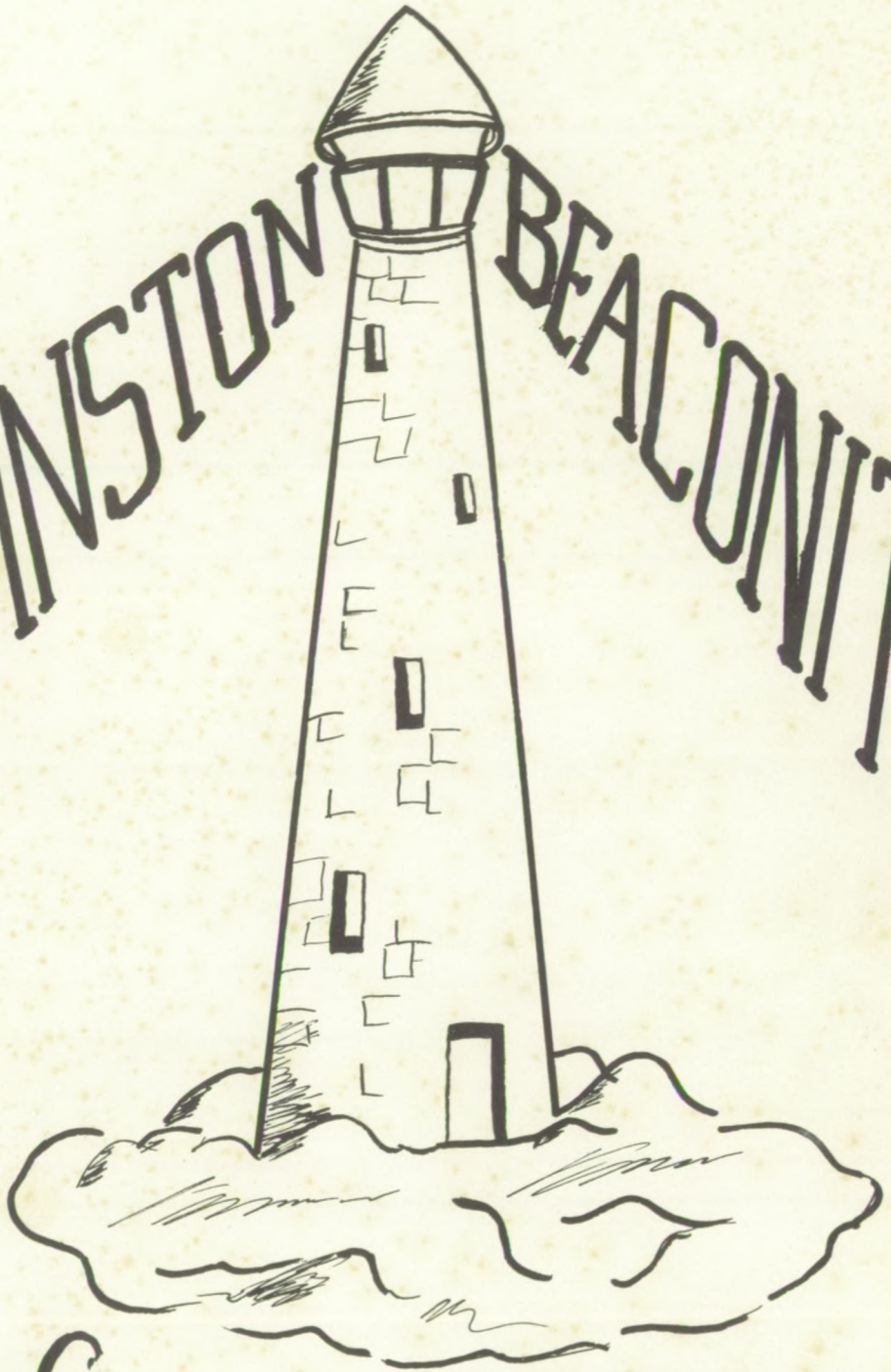
THE Beaconite

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JOHNSTON BEACONITE



for 1955



Foreword

Our yearbook contains the precious memories of the many happy incidents which happened to us during our school days in Johnston.

We hope that you will enjoy our book as much as we have enjoyed making it for you.

We give you our book The 1955 Beaconite.



DEDICATION

To our principal, Mrs. Scott, in sincere appreciation of her efforts to make Johnston Consolidated School one of which we may indeed be proud, the Senior Class dedicates the 1955 Beaconite.



CHARLES S. VARNER
Superintendent

M.A. Drake University

B.A. MacAlester College

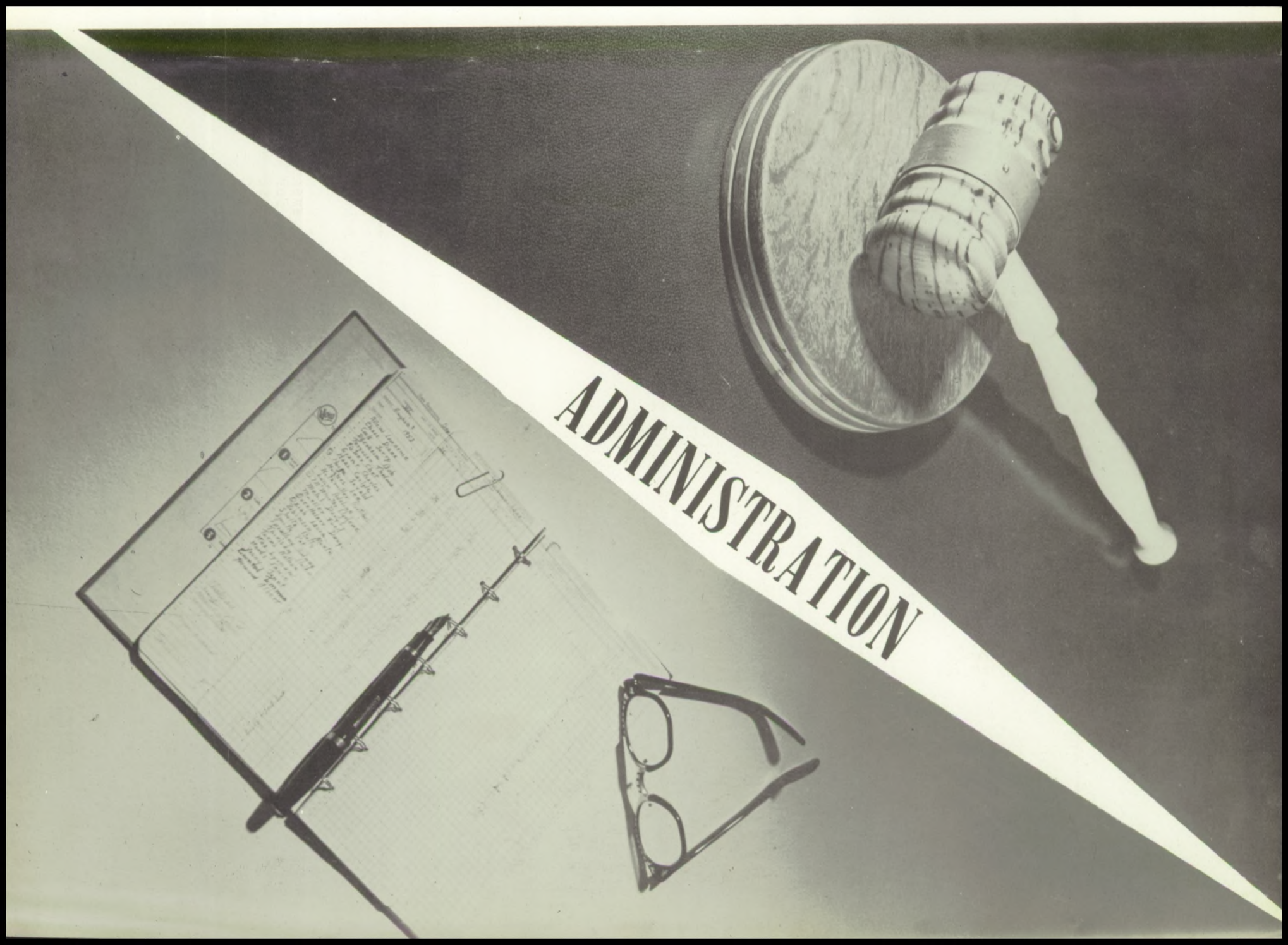
From Our Superintendent

To the Senior Class of 1955, I extend congratulations. Yours has been a class that we have enjoyed.

You are facing a future which is different from the one other classes have faced, yet one important fact holds true always: sincere, dependable work leads to success regardless of what career you choose to pursue.

Education is more important for you now than it has ever been. A broad education which gives you the background for varied interests is the surest security you can have. I hope that all of you will continue to seek more education, and in doing so, prepare yourselves to be better citizens.

Charles S. Varner


ADMINISTRATION

BOARD OF EDUCATION



FRONT ROW:

RALPH FRAIZER
HAYDEN SEIBERT
ED KRANTZ--PRESIDENT
WILMER NEWLIN

BACK ROW:

DAN ROCK
JAMES WEATHERSPOON--TREASURER
RAMONA WARD--SECRETARY

FACULTY



High School

Front Row:	
Mrs. Scott	Principal
Mrs. Cassaday	English
Mrs. Varner	Commercial
Miss Maxon	Vocal Music
Mrs. Berry	Home Econ., Biology
Back Row:	
Mr. Varner	Superintendent
Mr. Lancaster	History, Algebra
Mr. Sims	Athletics, Government
Mr. Smith	Band, Economics
Mr. Sloan	Science
Mr. Schuler	Athl., Math., Shop



GRADES

Front Row:	
Mrs. Bybee	Kindergarten
Mrs. Taylor	Second Grade
Mrs. Young	Fifth Grade
Mrs. Norris	Sixth Grade
Mrs. Guess	First Grade
Mrs. Butler	First Grade
Second Row:	
Mr. Herrick	Eighth Grade
Mrs. Trickey	Third Grade
Miss Bailey	Sixth Grade
Mrs. Ramey	Fourth Grade
Mrs. Wilson	Second Grade
Mrs. Barnes	Third Grade
Third Row:	
Mrs. Schell	Fourth Grade
Mrs. Henrikson	Eighth Grade
Mrs. Jansen	Seventh Grade
Mrs. Den Hartog	Seventh Grade
Mrs. Smith	Sixth Grade

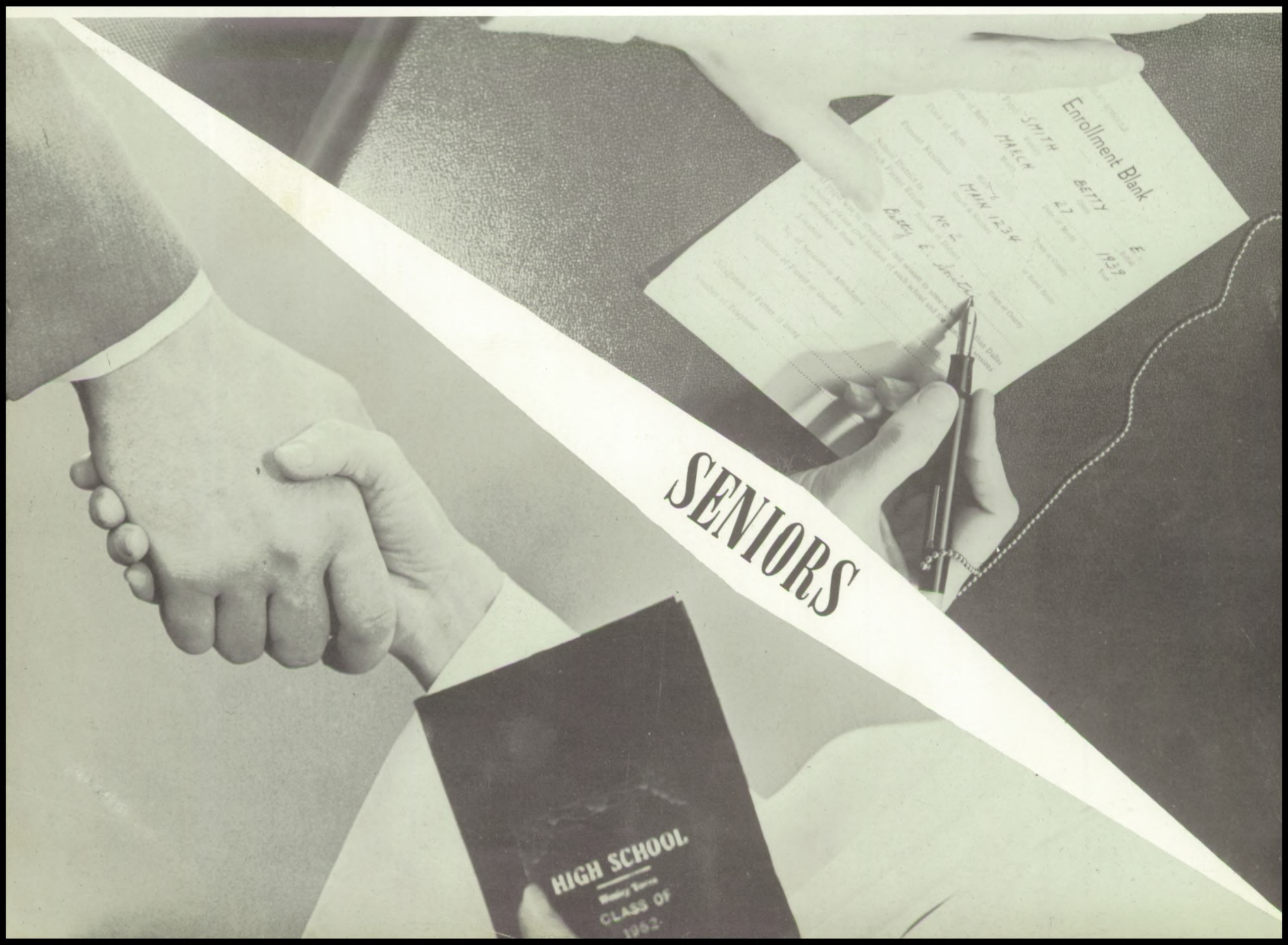


Mrs. Schuler, School Nurse

Mr. Simpson, Speech Correctionist






Enrollment Blank
SMITH
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HIGH SCHOOL
CLASS OF
1953

SENIORS

JANET ADAMS

Nickname "Jan"

"I chatter, chatter as I go, and I go on forever"

Basketball	1-2-3-4
Band	1-2-3-4
Chorus	1-2-3-4
Class Play	3
Student Council	3-4
Class Officer	2





LUCILLE BENSON

Nickname "Lucy"

"Home is where the heart is"

Hobby Sewing

Ambition: Housekeeping

STANLEY AMSBURY

Nickname "Stan"

"Still waters run deep"

Class Play	3
Band	3
Football	2

Ambition: Be an Engineer





MARILYN CHRISTENSON

Nickname "Chris"

"Just a minute, I'll be right with you"

Chorus	2-3-4
Piano Solo	1-2-3-4
Annual Staff	4

Ambition: "Be happy"

CHARLES ANDERSON

Nickname "Chuck"

"Why aren't they all contented like me"

School Photographer 2-3-4

Class Play 3

Ambition: Make a million





DOROTHY CLOVER

Nickname "Dot"

"Think, live, and smile"

Basketball	1
Chorus	1

Ambition: Join the wacs

PATRICIA ANSLEY

Nickname "Pat"

"Joy is not in things but in us"

Class Play	3
Annual Staff	4

Ambition: Go to Califoria





CAROL COX
Class Secretary

Nickname "Socks"

"Nor know we anything so sweet as the smile upon her face"

Basketball	1-2-3-4
Chorus	1-2-3-4
Class Play	3
Class Officer	1-4

RICHARD GARLAND

Nickname "Rich"

"Chase me girls, I'm full of fun"

Football	1-2-3-4
Basketball	1-2-3-4
Track	2-3-4
Baseball	1-2-3-4
Chorus	1-2-3-4
Class Officer	2-3
Student Council	3-4





MICHAEL HORTON

Nickname "Tex"

"Your sole contribution to the sum of things is yourself"

Football	1-2-3-4
Basketball	1-2-3-4
Track	4
Baseball	1-2-3-4
Chorus	1-2-3-4
"J" Club	4

DAVE GOSS

Nickname "Buzz"

"Do I Contradict myself? Very well, then, I contradict myself"

Football	2-3-4
Basketball	2-3-4
Baseball	2-3-4
Chorus	2-3-4
Class Officer	3





MICHAEL HOWLEY

Nickname "Mike"

"Live to love, and love to live"

Football	1-2-3-4
Basketball	1-2-3-4
Track	1 2-3-4
Baseball	1-2-3-4
Chorus	1-2-3-4
Class Officer	2
"J" Club	4
Student Council	2

DON GROSS

Nickname "Sammy"

"A gross of fun"

Football	1-2-3-4
Basketball	1-2-3-4
Track	2-3-4
Baseball	1-2-3-4
Chorus	1-2-3-4
Band	1-2-3-4
Class Officer	2
"J" Club	4





MARK JARVIS

Nickname Jarvie

"You are going forward toward something great"

Football	1-2-3-4
Basketball	1
Track	3-4
Chorus	1-2-3-4
Band	1-2-3-4
Class Officer	3
Class play	3

BOB HERTZ

Nickname "Bubbles"

"All things come round to him who will but wait"

Basketball	2
Class play	3

Ambition: Be a successful banker





GLORIA JOHNS

Nickname "Glor"

"Blessed are the world's joymakers"

Chorus 4

Ambition: Professional ice skater

Favorite song: A B C Boogie

MARY LESTER

Nickname "Mo"

"Fun is where you find it"

Library 1-2-3-4

Favorite song: "Teach Me Tonight"

Ambition: To travel





HAROLD LONGSHORE

Nickname "Longie"

"What girl can compare with a second-hand car"

Chorus 1-2-3

Ambition: "Be a success"

JOANN LOSH

Nickname "Jo"

"Pretty & Unpredictable"

Chorus 1-2-3-4
Class officer 2

Ambition: To start an orphanage





FRED LOVERIDGE

Nickname "Liberace"

"Unselfishness is letting other people's lives alone"

Ambition: "To own a 1950 Olds "88" Fleet Line"

KENNETH MADISON

Nickname "Kenny"

"Always a smile for things worth-while"

Football 1-2
Track 2-3-4

Favorite song: "This Ole House"

Ambition: "To try to get the best out of life"





VIRGINIA MAIN

Nickname "Ginny"

"Cold hands, warm heart"

Chorus 2-3-4
Play 3
Annual staff 4

Ambition: "To visit the ruins of Pompeii"

LUANNE McKINLEY

Nickname "Louie"

"Where there's mischief brewing, she is doing the stirring."

Chorus 1-2-3-4
Play 3
Annual staff 4

Ambition: "To graduate from Drake University"





DONALD MILLER

Nickname "Duffo"

"Today is enough for me to worry about"

Basketball 1
Football 3

Ambition: "To be a dairy farmer"

MAXINE MONAHAN

Nickname "Max"

"A pound of pluck goes further than a ton of luck"

Basketball 1-2
Annual staff 4

Ambition: Be happy





JOHN SMITH

Nickname "Johnnie"

"Our all-around good guy"

Baseball 1-2-3-4

Ambition: Be a Farmer

ELIZABETH PETERSON

Nickname "Liz"

"Lucky in love"

Chorus 1-2-3-4
Band 1-2-3-4
Basketball 1-2-3
Play 3

Ambition: Get Married





RICHARD ORR

Nickname "Dick"

"If you want to get things done, have a very good assistant"

Class play 3

Ambition: Be a Farmer

BEVERLY SCHUESSLER

Nickname "Little Schuess'

"Lot of pep in this small package"

Basketball 1-2-3-4
Chorus 1-2-3-4
Band 1-2-3-4
Play 3
"J" Club Officer 4

Ambition:
Elementary teacher





JEANINE ROCK

Nickname "Pebble"

"Mighty, like a rock"

Basketball 1-2-3-4
Chorus 1-2-3-4
Play 3
Class Officer 1-3

Ambition: To be happy and successful

KAY SLOAN

Nickname "Katie"

"The eyes are the windows of the soul"

Band 1-2-3-4
Chorus 1-2-3-4
Mixed Quartet 3
Flag Solo 1-3-4
Twirling Ensemble 4

Ambition: Be a telephone operator in men's dorm.





PAT SHOEMAKER
Class President
Nickname "Shoe"

"Saddle your dreams before you ride them"

Basketball 1-2-3-4
Band 1-2-3-4
Chorus 1-2-3-4
Student Council 4
Play 3

Ambition:
Airline Reservationist

KENNETH STIFEL

Nickname "Curly"

"An innocent face but you never can tell!"

Football 1-2-3-4
Track 2-3-4

Ambition: Be an engineer





DEWAYNE STILL

"What I don't know won't hurt me!"

Basketball 1-4

Favorite song:
"Enjoy Yourself, It's Later Than You Think."

Ambition: To stay young

GARY STONER

"Secret, self-contained"

Track 4

Favorite song:
"North Wind"

Ambition: Work in the Interior Department for the government





JACK STUCK

Nickname "Jackson"

"Women disturb me not"

Basketball 1
Band 1-2-3-4

Favorite song:
"This Ole House"

Ambition: Disc-Jockey

BILL WHALEN

Nickname "Chumley"

"Not a friend for a day, but a friend always!"

Football 1-2-3-4
Track 2-3-4
Chorus 1-2-3-4
Class officer 4
Vocal solo 1-2-3-4
Mixed quartet 1-2-3-4





MARY WIGTON

"Neat and shiny like a pearl!"

Chorus 1-2-3-4
Band 1-2-3-4
Clarinet quartet 1-2-3-4
Piano solo 1-2-3-4

Ambition: Do my best and succeed

JACK WRAY

"Let the world go by as it may; I will take it anyway!"

Class officer 4
Basketball 4
Baseball 3

Ambition: To manage a Wholesale Business



DAYS GONE BY


JO ANN


KAY


DON


DICK


PAT


DAVE


BOB


JACK


JEAN


HAROLD




MARYLIN


BILL




GINNY


MIKE


DEWAYNE


GARY


CAROL


JAN








CHUCK


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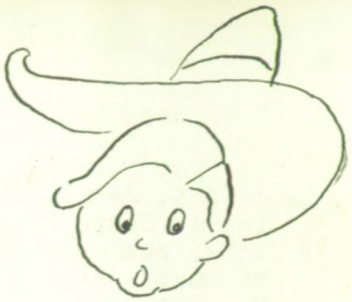

BEV


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FRED







Senior Class History

Kindergarten--



Johnston:	Gary Stoner	Liz Peterson	Carole Cox
	Dot Clover	Bev Schuessler	Jack Stuck
	Pat Ansley	Kenneth Madison	Dick Orr
	Jeanine Rock	Marilyn Christenson	Mark Jarvis
		Harold Longshore	
Herrold:	Ken Stifel	Charles Anderson	Don Miller
		LuAnne McKinley	



The time was 1942; the place was Johnston School; when thirteen youngsters came on the run; laughing and having lots of fun; at Herrold School, up northa ways, four more were starting their gay learning days, Mrs. Youngquist was our teacher, and we tried so hard(?) to please her; we took our naps and strung our beads; our black-face play was fine indeed, our rhythm band was "really cool"; yes sir! we really liked our school!

First Grade--

Carole and Gary moved away; but we'll see them again some day; still had our jazzy rhythm band; the hottest one in all the land; we still rested every day; no fun being quiet--we wanted to play; our teacher, Miss Taylor, changed her name; Mrs. La Follette she became.

Second Grade--

Hurray! Hurray! no naps to take! we were glad of this and no mistake; Janet and Lucille, joined our crew; Mike Howley decided to come then too; Mary Wigton caught up with us; and we caught up with Fred; Gary Stoner then returned; and we slowly moved ahead; We learned how to paint, gave a show about trains; with Mrs. Wilson as pitcher, we played baseball games.

Third Grade--

Mike Horton and DeWayne Still came--our class has never been the same; JoAnne came, but didn't stay long; she moved to Herrold and time marched on; Mrs. Sibley, one fine day made us corn meal the Indian way.

Fourth Grade--

John Smith joined our merry band; Miss Orcutt took our group in hand; if we had trouble with geography, we missed our recess--but Definately!

Fifth Grade--

Don Gross and Richard came in here; the girls really liked that year; we built log cabins and made a clay fort; did spatter painting and things of that sort; Mrs. Baker was our teacher now; ready and willing to show us how.

Sixth Grade--

Met Patty S. and Mary L., Maxine and Virginia came as well; up at Herrold, JoAnn moved away; but she'll come back again to-stay; we gathered at Camp Dodge that year; and Pat hit Jeanine with a bat, I hear; Howley pushed Marilyn through a window; why did he do it? who could know? the paper-wad fights raised quite a fuss; Mrs. Manny, Miss Maxson were guarding us.

Seventh Grade--

Carole Cox came back again; hadn't seen her since "way back when"; Gary Stoner moved away; the second time he couldn't stay; up at Herrold Bob Hertz moved in and added his voice to the noisy din; we had three teachers to help us through: Mrs. Keeton, Mrs. Cassaday, and Mrs. Ballou.

Eighth Grade--

Here we were joined by Bill and Kay; and kept on going our merry way; one fine spring day we had a treat, up towards Camp Dodge we turned our feet; we'd just gotten there and had started to play when the rain began, and continued all day; Carole and Chris and Kenney M. were thrown in puddles, just look at them! a toad was put right down Kay's back; for devilish tricks we had a knack; our classes were taught by that unlucky three--Mr. Herrick, Mrs. Ballou, Mrs. Cassaday.

Ninth Grade--

Well look who's here, for the freshman year--the five from Herrold, and Stanley A., JoAnn has now, come back to stay; the first year of high school, Whoopee Doo! with lots of interesting things to do; a picnic was held at the last of the year at Lake Aquabi, fairly near; DeWayne decided to go for a row; when he lost an oar, the boat wouldn't go.

Tenth Grade--

"Give a cheer--Goss is here"; and Gary is back for another year; moved to assembly--big kids now; we'll show the other classes how! 'twasn't "Slaughter on Tenth Avenue," 'twas a packing plant and a dairy too--those lucky kids in biology class--got to miss school, <u>alack</u> and <u>alas</u>.

Eleventh Grade--

Gary left, but Jack Wray came; classes continued much the same; we gave a very successful play; we'd practiced on it for many a day; gave a banquet with Hawaiian theme; neared the fulfillment of a twelve-year dream.

Twelfth Grade--

Our wandering Gary is home at last; He's moved 'round enough in the years gone past; Gloria came to give us a hand--the last addition to our merry band; received our class rings, had our "pitchers took," and worked on things for a good year-book.

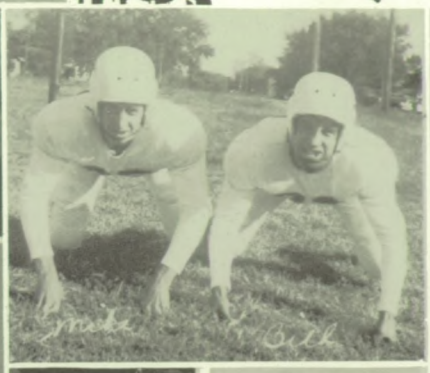
Now at the end of our high school days, it's time to stop, and cast our gaze backwards over the way we've come and think a bit on the things we have done. All these things behind us, it's time to look ahead--is the future bright and hopeful, or filled with fear and dread? It's up to us and no one else to choose which it will be. We need to keep this fact in mind as we view life's troubled sea; so we've got to keep on trying, though hard may be the way. We've got to keep on working, and hoping day by day, for life's no bed of roses, this we know is true. So now let's leave the old behind and go forth to face the new.

Senior Snaps


























































UNDERCLASSMEN

Juniors

Dean Ashley
Charlene Brafford
Carroll Brown
Lois Brown



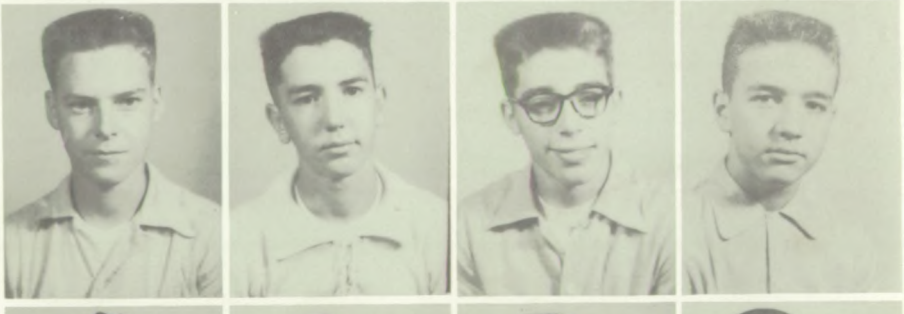
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Paul Elwell



Alan Fick
Ron Frazier
Carol Gardner
Charles Geary



Major Goodman
Richard Hawbaker
George Heckman
Marvin Heidman



Merle Heskett
Pat Hunt
Jean Hutchens
Larry Huth



Juniors

Al Kugley
John Linder
Rosalie Lutz
Barbara Maher



Dave McPherson
Shirley Monahan
Bill Moon
Kenneth Palmer



Betty Rynearson
Barb Schuessler
Wanda Sellner
Joan Sherman



Rosalie Smith
Larry Staley
John Steddom
Lila Tasler



Grandville Wheeler
Shirley Winters



Sophomores

Sarah Baker

Dale Beeman

Larry Bowen

Dianna Carpenter

Linda Cox

Kenneth Farlow

Mike Gilligan

Jack Griffeth

Gerald Hockmuth

Jerry Heidman

Donald Jarvis

Ellen Hunt

Karen Hennings

Roger Kinsey

Jimmie Krantz

Donna Main

Kay Miller

Marlene Myer

John Robinette

Jerry Siebert

Janine Smith

Ruth Stoner

Lola Lee Tener

Larry Troup

Marth Weatherspoon



Sophomores



Elden Appling
Harold Belieu
Virginia Betz
Joan Blakely
Deanna Carpenter

Karen Dewey
Doyle Elwell
Roy Gaunt
Eldon Good
Ann Hawn

Dennis Holmes
Leilani Kauzlarich
Gerald Kramer
Patricia Lenz
Jolene Martin

Richard Moon
Larry Reese
Kenneth Rodine
Doris Siever
Sandra Standers

Patricia Sullivan
Nola Lee Tener
Thomas Warren
Sylvia Tuttle

Freshmen

Delores Ashley
Charles Bennett
Marvin Caruthers
Marlin Eaton



Larry Elings
Doris Fitzsimmons
Gerald Foshe
Pauline Foshe
Rodney Galloway



Gary Gibbons
Judy Gray
Wayne Grim
Mary Heisler
Bob Hunt



Paul Jensen
Ronald Kimsey
Judy Korth
Robin Kirkman
Donna Lathrum



Ted Leffler
Tom Manning
Ed Mathews
Mary E. McCullough
Connie McBurney



Larry Miller
Henry Molley
Mary Jo Molson
Ronnie Orr
Stanley Perin








Sandra Pontious

Jerry Rees

Dora-Kate Robinette

Donna Smith






Tommy South

Betty Tharp

Howard Thompson

Curtis Tingley





Marion Waldo

Tommy Waldo

Belinda Ware













EIGHTH GRADERS

Oburn Herrick
Paul Appling
Beulah Benson
Irwin Carr
Sharon Caruthers

Georgia Dings
Joyce Glazebrook
Gary Harvey
Jim Kimsey
Ellen Lamp

Mary Lathrum
Larry Madole
Judy Martin
Charles McClelland
Linda Meston

Mike Meston
Margaret Molloy
Sherryl Myer
Donna Otto
Deanna Robinette

Ronald Rudd
Glenn Sanborn
Sharon Seibert
Sandra Steffey
Monte Stuck

Nancy Thompson
Walter Walker
Albert Wheeldon





Mrs. Henrikson
Judy Betz
Bessie Hawn
Gary Hoke



Merle Holmes
Linda Hoyle
Mary Jacobson
Richard Kinsey



Pauline Lewis
Dean Madison
Joy Main
Dick McCloin



Beth Olcott
Barbara Pardee
Mary Pontius
Jerry Riggs



Peggy Ruth
Gary Sellner
Deanna Stenstrom
Joyce Still
Billy Stoner



Mike Voorhees
Bill Swink
Dennis Sweeney
Fred Warren
Mary Weatherspoon

SEVENTH GRADERS

Mrs. Jansen
Caroline Appling
Alene Aulich
Christine Beugin
Alicia Brown



Derald Caruthers
Dennis Clover
Paul Cook
Larry Davis
Kathy Dunn



Jerry Flug
Leslie Grimes
Sandra Hennings
Dennis Hockmuth
Fred Johns



Janice Krantz
Harry Leffler
Carole May
Kenneth Rittgers
George Sanborn



Gary Signs
Dwayne Smedes
David Storey
Sandra Strauss
Delores Tasler



Richard Tingley
Mary Wheeldon
Eileen Wright
Bill Wasson





Mrs. Den Hartog
Larry Ashley
Sharon Bates
Roger Carolus
Suzanne Gilligan



Melvin Greif
Anthony Heskett
Raymond Johns
Lynda Lewis
John Lutz



Barbara Madison
Sharon Mauk
Jim Olsasky
Dixie Peterson
Jim Potter



Harry Pontious
Ronald Rittgers
Susan Ruth
Morris Sample
Larry Signs



Larry Smith
Donna Tener
Nola Thomas
Carolyn Thompson
Beverly Troup



Mary Troup
Donna Waldo

SIXTH GRADERS

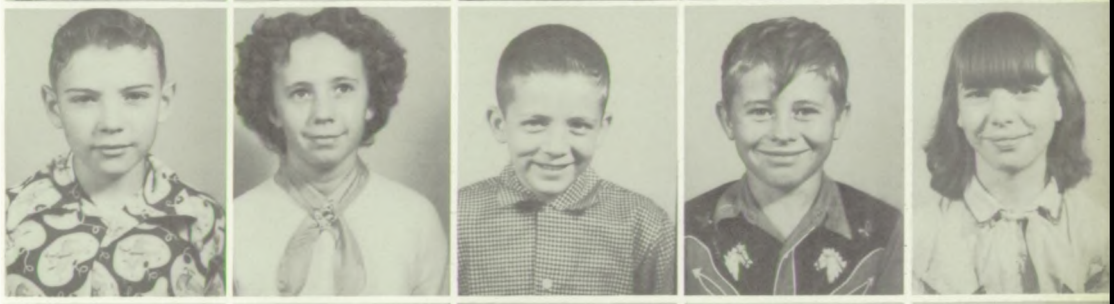
Mrs. Smith
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Lonnie Bullis
Dewey Carr
Lucy Duvall



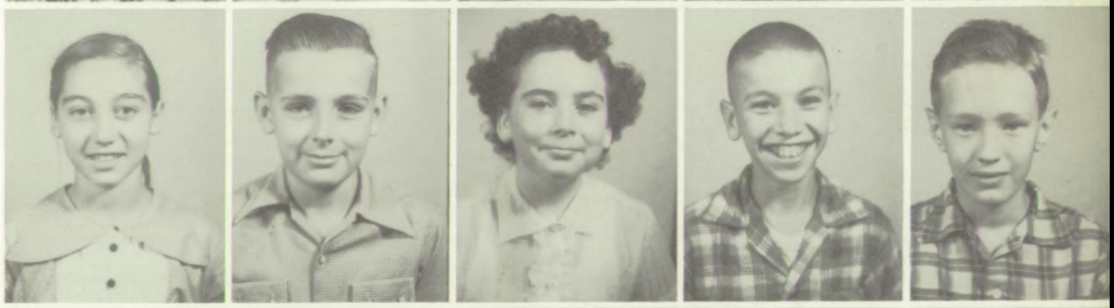
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James Johanik
Karen Kinsey
Fred Lamp
David Lutz
Esther Madison



Judy Madole
Charles May
Veronica Molloy
James Monahan
Tom Moorehead



Susan Moss
Jean Newlin
Russell Orr
Douglas Prince
James Rodine



Carol Sanborn
Donnie Signs
Richard Smith
Margaret VanOel
Linda Waldo





Mildred Bailey
Glenn Carolos
Bobby Crees
Michael Davis
Janet Gardner

Judith Gardner
David Hanna
Peggy Harvey
Gerald Heisler
Larry Hon

Patricia Johnson
Ralph Keltner
Ronald Kramer
Georgina Madison
Judith Manning

David McClain
Kahla Mielke
Keith Miller
Sally Monahan
Roger Orr

Susanne Potter
George Read
Frederick Schuler
Sharon Smith
Kathleen Sorenson

Robert Troup
James Tuttle
Gary Westbrook
Karen Kimsey

FIFTH GRADERS

Mrs. Young

Raymond Betz

Carol Brafford

Darlene Clover

Daniel Clover

Donna Clements

Samuel Dings

Evalouise Dunn

Marilyn Gilligan

Robert Goodman

Joann Hennings

Phillip Heskett

Carol Kinsey

Judy Linder

Carol McCurdy

Jean Jacobson

Kenneth Jarvis

Sandra Reiser

Norma Rice

Tommy Rock

Jon Schuler

Genevieve Signs

Sue Strauss

Karen Swanson

Johnny Theisen

Mary Theisen

Jeffrey Voorhees

Jacqueline Weatherspoon

William Clyde Winters





Mrs. Norris
Janet Blomberg
Bobbie Burch
Eddie Carr
Marion Durall

Dennis Elwell
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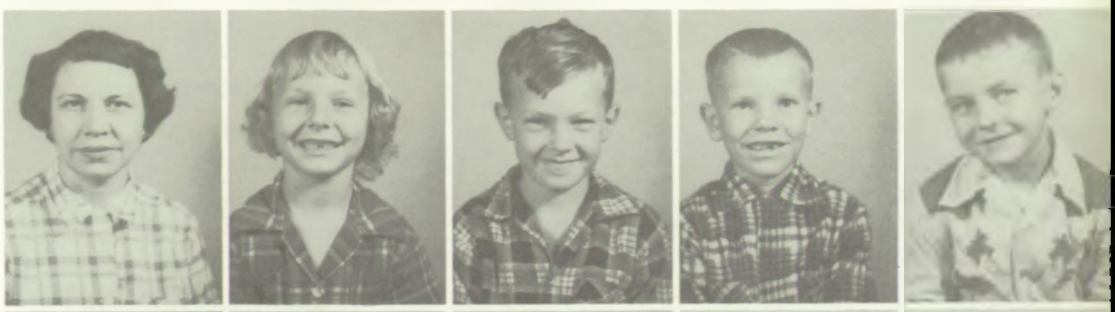
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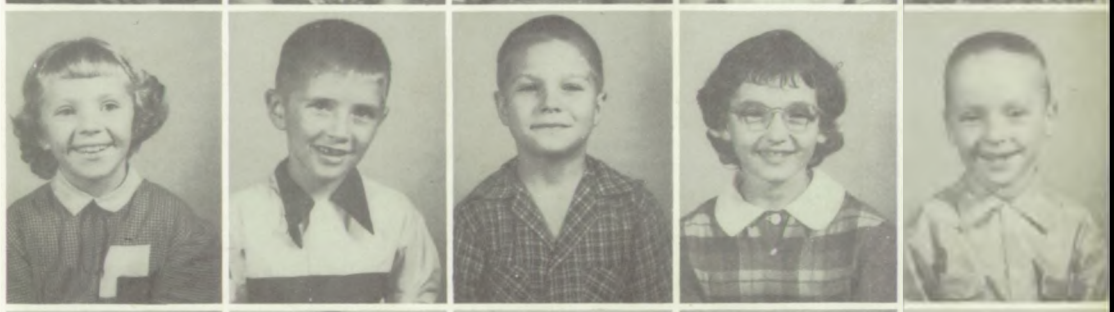
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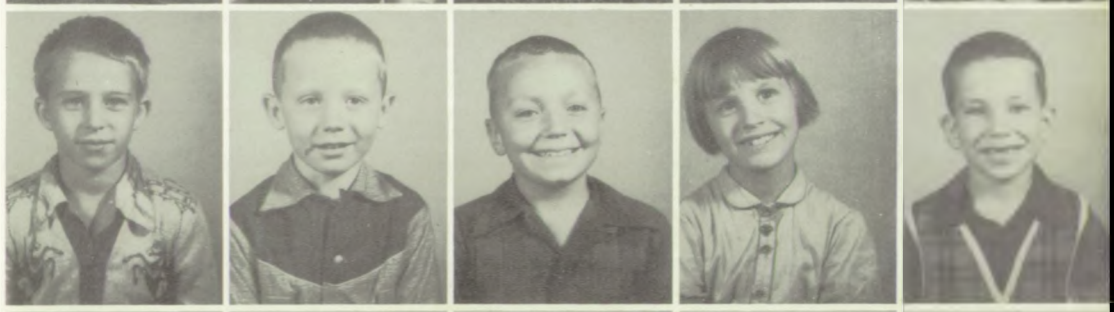
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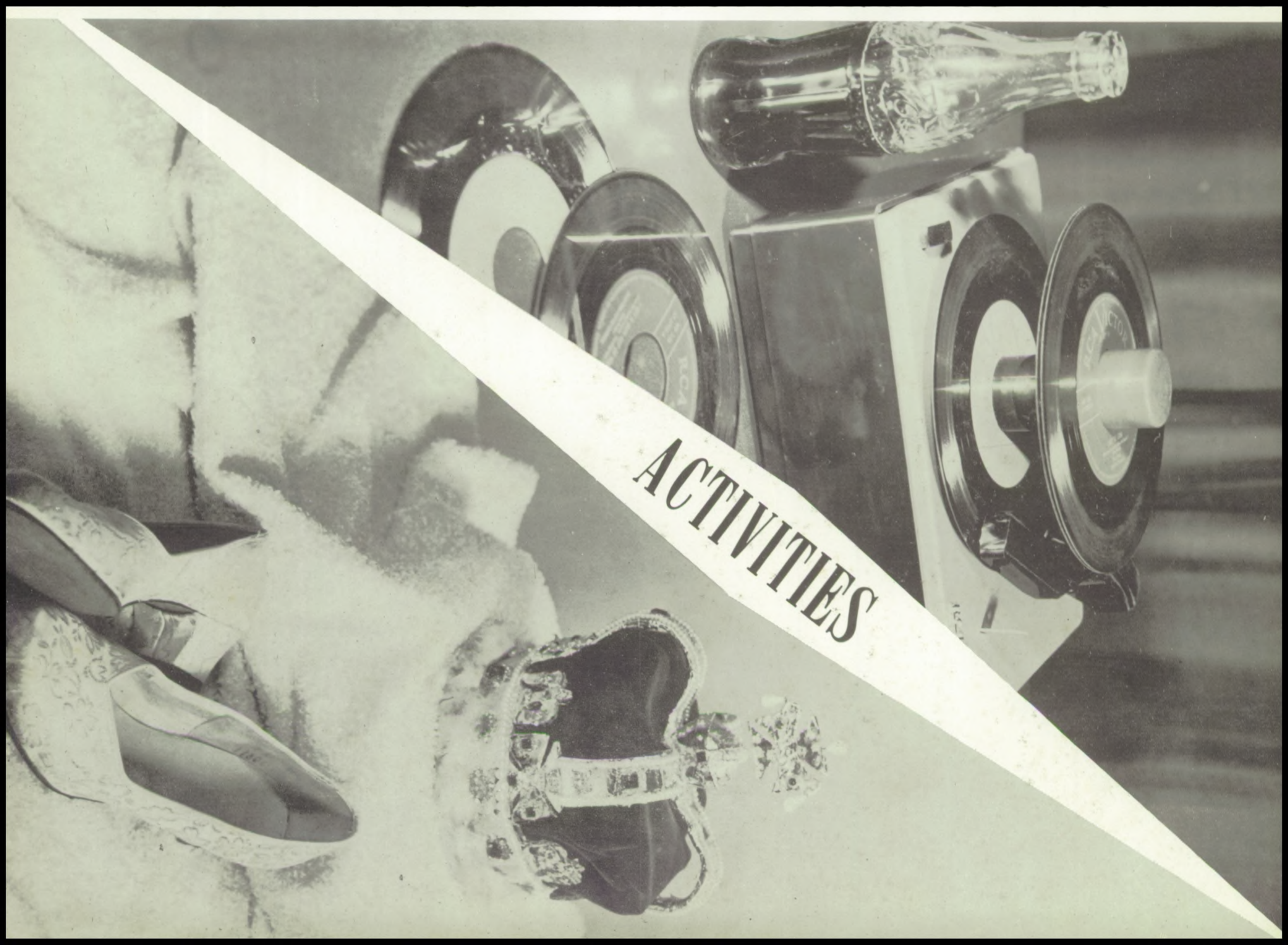


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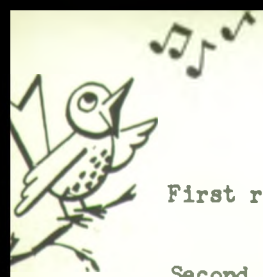
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Mixed Chorus





First row: Lizabeth Peterson, Carol Cox, Jeanine Rock, Dave Goss, Richard Garland, Mike Voorhees, Bill Whalen, Mike Horton, Mark Jarvis, Stanley Perin, Dennis Holmes, Don Gross, Janet Adams, Marilyn Christenson, Bev Schuessler

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Third row: Rosalie Smith, Susan Dunn, Shirley Monahan, Lois Brown, Kenneth Farlow, Ted Leffler, Marvin Heidman, Jim Kimsey, Roy Gaunt, Robert Kinsey, Don Jarvis, Gerald Kramer, Gary Harvey, Jerry Seibert, Patty Hunt, Barb Maher, Betty Rynearson, Wanda Sellner

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Girls Double Sextet



First Row: Carol Gardner,Mary Ellen McCullough,Mary Wigton, Pat Hunt, Wanda Sellner, Susan Dunn

Second Row: Mary Molson, Barbara Maher, Pauline Foshe, Janine Smith Karen Dewey, Janet Adams

Boys Glee Club



First Row: Dave Goss, Richard Garland, Bill Whalen, Mike Horton, Mark Jarvis, Stanley Perin, Dennis Holmes, Don Gross

Second Row: Jack Griffith, Jack Wray, Michael Howley, Merle Heskett, Mike Voorhees, Rodney Galloway, Harold Belieu, Jerry Du Bois

Third Row: Kenneth Rodine, Ted Leffler, Marvin Heidman, Jim Kimsey, Roy Gaunt, Robert Kinsey, Don Jarvis, Garold Kramer, Gary Harvey, Jerry Seibert

Madrigal Group



First Row: Carol Gardner, Carole Cox,Kay Sloan, Mary Wigton,Pat Hunt, Joan Sherman, Janet Adams, Susan Dunn

Second Row: Bill Whalen, Don Gross, Mike Horton, Mark Jarvis, David Goss, Jack Wray, Mike Howley



Kay Sloan

Barbara Maher

Janet Adams

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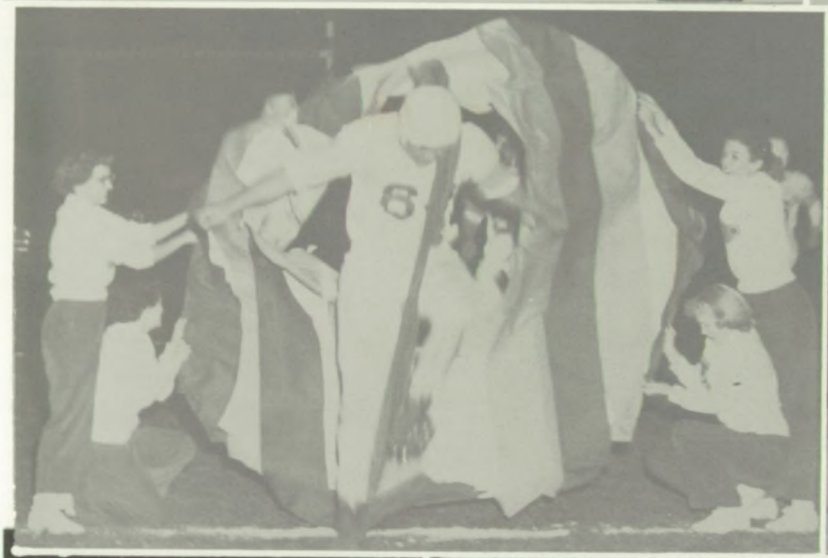



















































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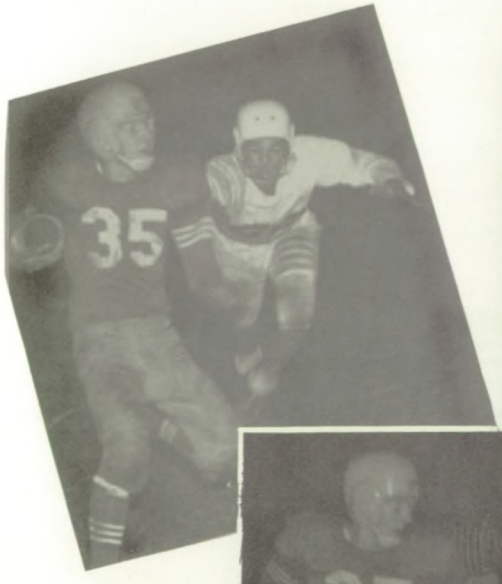


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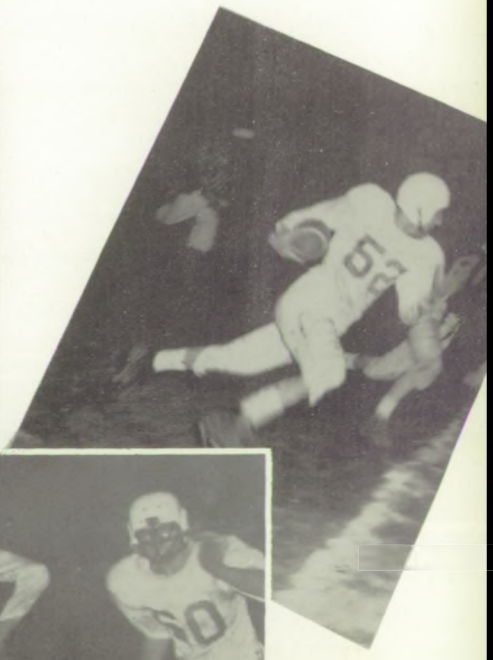


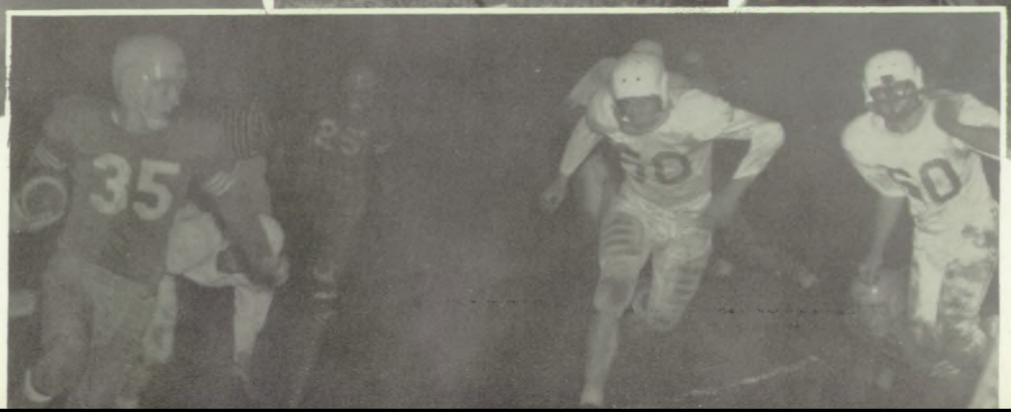
Joan Sherman
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Susan Dunn
Carol Gardner

Action shots











Football Team

First row: Don Gross, Ron Fraizer

Second row: Merle Heskett, Alan Fick, Dave Goss, Kenneth Stifel, Mike Howley, Mike Horton, Richard Garland, Larry Bowen, Bill Whalen, George Heckman, Mike Gilligan, Jack Griffith, Mike Vorhees--Student Manager.

Third row: Mark Jarvis, Howard Thompson, Garold Kramer, Kenneth Rodine, Paul Elwell, Max Westby, Dennis Holmes, Nathan Crowell, Dave McPherson, Eldon Appling, John Steddom, Larry Reese, Curtis Tingley, Teddy Leffler, Jack Sims--Coach.

Fourth row: Oburn Herrick--Trainer, Larry Staley, John Robinette, Dale Beeman, Tom Warren, Dick Moon, Ronald Kinsey, Harold Belieu, Marlin Eaton, Dean Ashley, Larry Elings, Gary Gibbons, Larry Miller, Harold Schuler--Assistant-Coach.

THE COACHING STAFF SUMS UP THE SEASON

Surprises, disappointments, and thrills made up the 1954 football season. Looking back after the season is over, the coaches can remember many of the important incidents that happened.

First the surprises:

1. Largest squad to complete a football season for Johnston--38 in number.
2. Wonderful record of the reserve squad--undefeated in seven games.
3. Ability of the squad to learn a new formation and score the most points on record for the last three years.
4. Backfield men taking in stride the playing in the line and doing a wonderful job.

Disappointments:

1. The failure to repeat as Conference Champions.

Thrills:

1. Long runs made possible by good blocking in the line and downfield.
2. Amazing punting average of forty-three yards for the season.
3. Placing eight boys on the All-Conference Squad.

Yes, we had an exciting season in 1954. In the short time a squad is together in the fall we experience many things that remain after it is over. Football makes men out of boys on the field. The coaching staff is proud to associate with the type of boy who volunteers to come out and work for the school to make a good football team. Our boys put the good of the school and squad in first place and did not care who got the glory so long as they all worked together.

For the past three years we have worked with the eight boys who have played their last football game for Johnston. We want to thank them, as well as the rest of the squad, for the cooperation they have shown in making the 1954 season a successful one.

We are looking forward to a good year in 1955 and know that the athletes of Johnston will carry on and bring more glory and victory to our school.

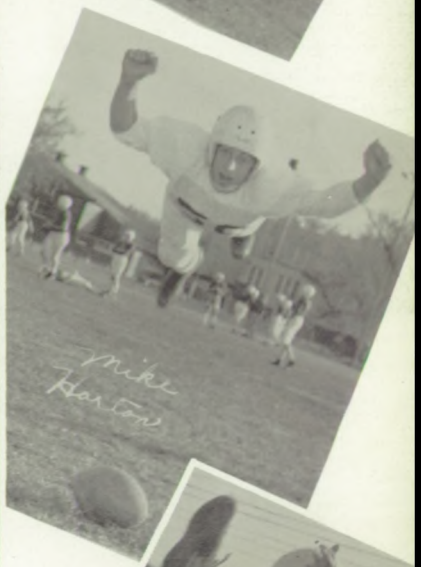




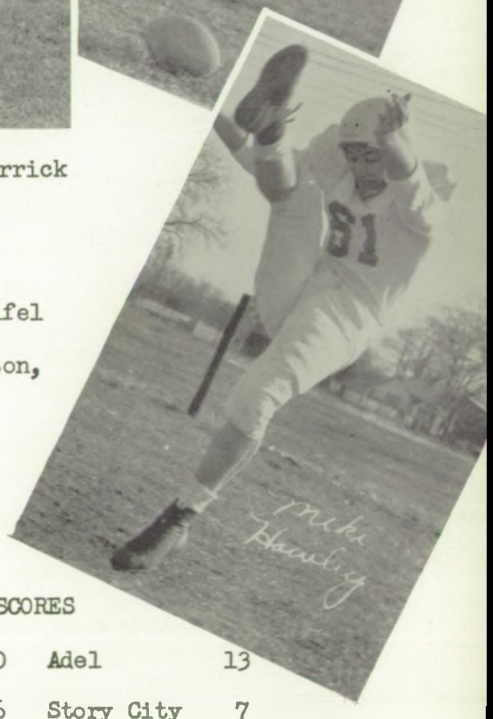












Coaches: H. Schuler, J. Sims, O. Herrick

ALL CONFERENCE TEAM

First team: Don Gross, Kenneth Stifel

Second team: Mike Howley, Mike Horton, Ron Fraizer



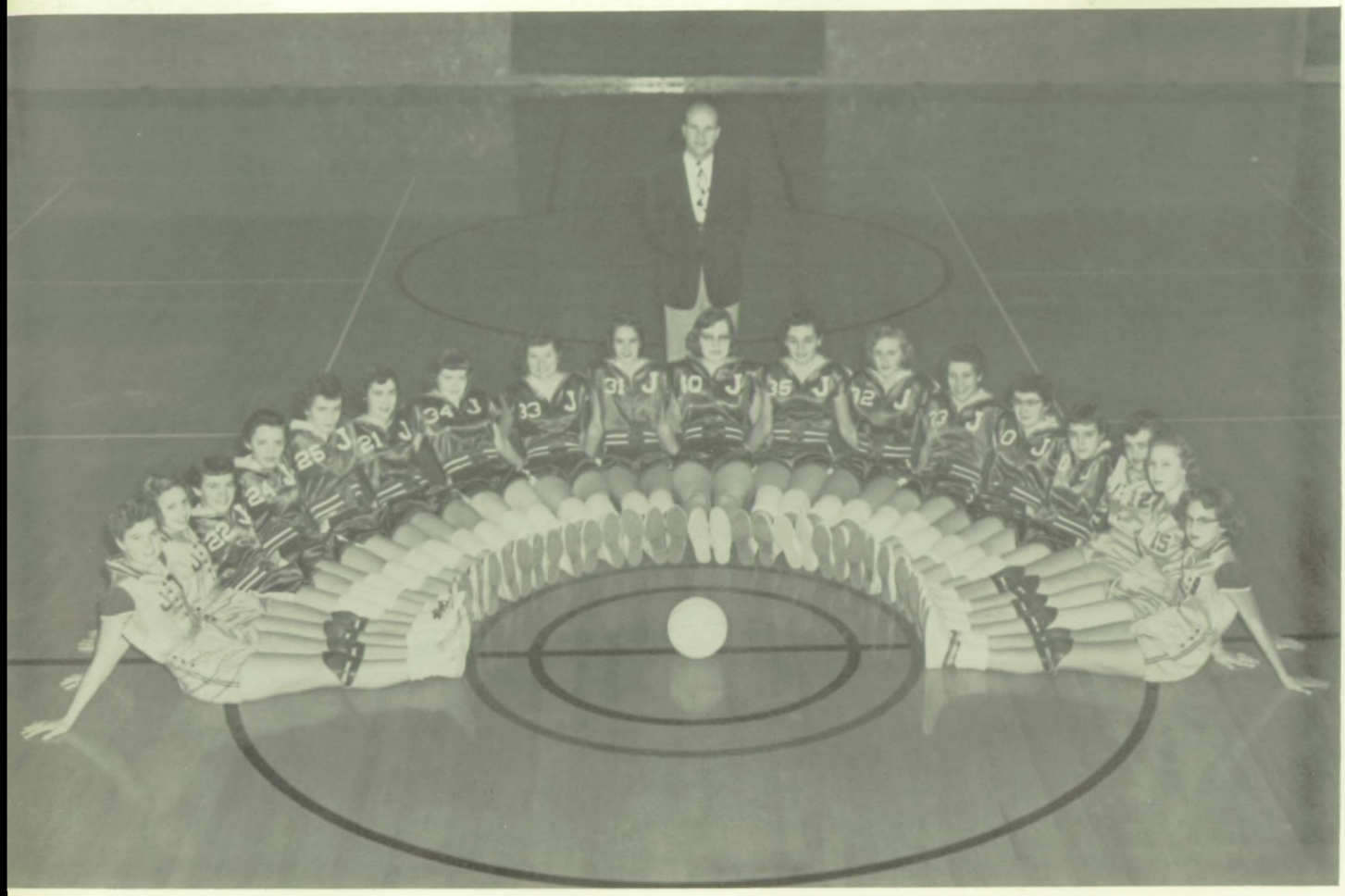
STATISTICS

Rushing yardage	1490
Av. per game	186
Passing yardage	538
Av. per game	67
Total yardage	2028
Passes attempted	77
Passes completed	27
Per cent completed	3[illegible]
First downs	78
Total Points	135
Av. punting yardage	43.6

SCORES

Johnston	0	Adel	13
Johnston	26	Story City	7
Johnston	6	Altoona	6
Johnston	24	Carlisle	7
Johnston	20	Woodside	0
Johnston	33	Madrid	0
Johnston	19	Nevada	19
Johnston	7	Ankeny	40

Girls Basketball



From left to right: Kathy Miller, Joan Blakley, Bev Schuessler, Sylvia Tuttle, Doris Fitzsimmons, Carole Cox, Jeanine Rock, Rosalie Lutz, Pat Sullivan, Pauline Foshe, Pat Shoemaker, Jolene Martin, Janet Adams, Lois Brown, Barbara Schuessler, Belinda Ware, Virginia Betz, Donna Lathrum. Standing: Coach Jack Sims

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SEASON'S RECORD

Johnston 35	Urbandale 25	Johnston 54	Story City 28
Johnston 54	Ankeny 56	Johnston 50	Waukee 77
Johnston 46	Valley 62	Johnston 54	Bondurant 80*
Johnston 46	Urbandale 49	Johnston 63	Brimes 24
Johnston 40	Altoona 32	Johnston 49	Madrid 43
Johnston 51	Grimes 29	Johnston 35	Granger 42**
Johnston 38	Bondurant 60	Johnston 51	Woodside 46
Johnston 52	Colfax 55	* County Tournament	
Johnston 55	Alleman 44	** Sectional Tournament	

Senior Athletes











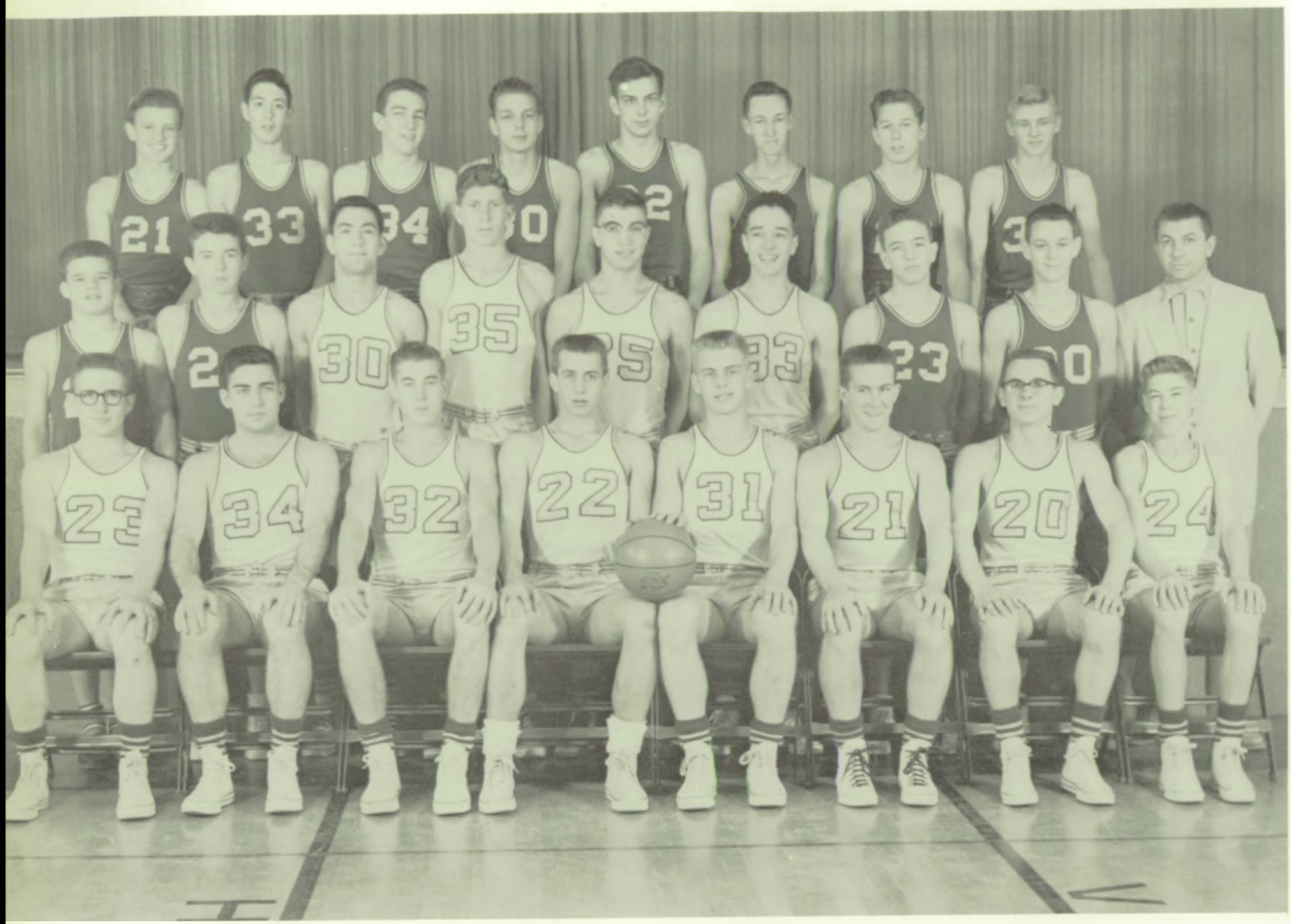








Boys Basketball



First row: Don Gross, Richard Garland, Don Crowell, Mike Horton, Alan Fick, Mike Howley, Ron Fraizer, Nathan Crowell

Second row: Eddie Farlow, Larry Reese, Jack Griffith, Tom Warren, Dave Goss, Merle Heskett, Marvin Heidman, Eldon Appling, Coach Harold Schuler

Third row: Marvin Carothers, Robin Kirkman, Dennis Holmes, Paul Elwell, Larry Huth, Gerald Hockmuth, DeWayne Still

S E A S O N ' S R E C O R D

Johnston	44	Urbandale	36	Johnston	31	Woodside	40*
Johnston	39	Ankeny	36	Johnston	33	Grimes	40
Johnston	35	Valley	57	Johnston	39	Madrid	45
Johnston	57	Urbandale	41	Johnston	50	Ankeny	45**
Johnston	56	Altoona	65	Johnston	64	Woodside	51**
Johnston	43	Grimes	46	Johnston	45	Woodside	28
Johnston	57	Bondurant	55	Johnston	52	Nevada	65
Johnston	43	Colfax	27	Johnston	47	Grinnell	50***
Johnston	45	Alleman	53				
Johnston	58	Story City	59				
Johnston	57	Waukee	71				

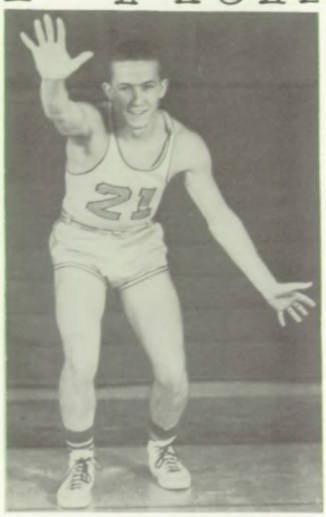
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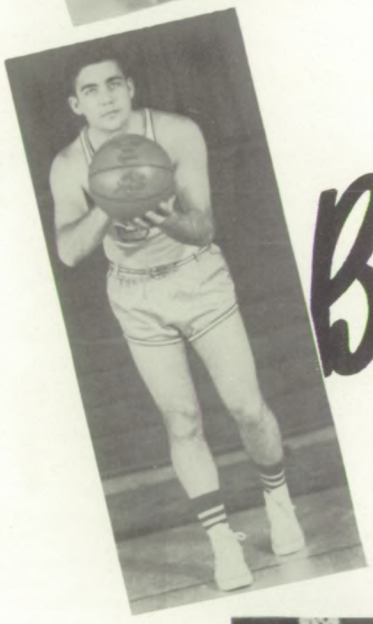
***District Tournament

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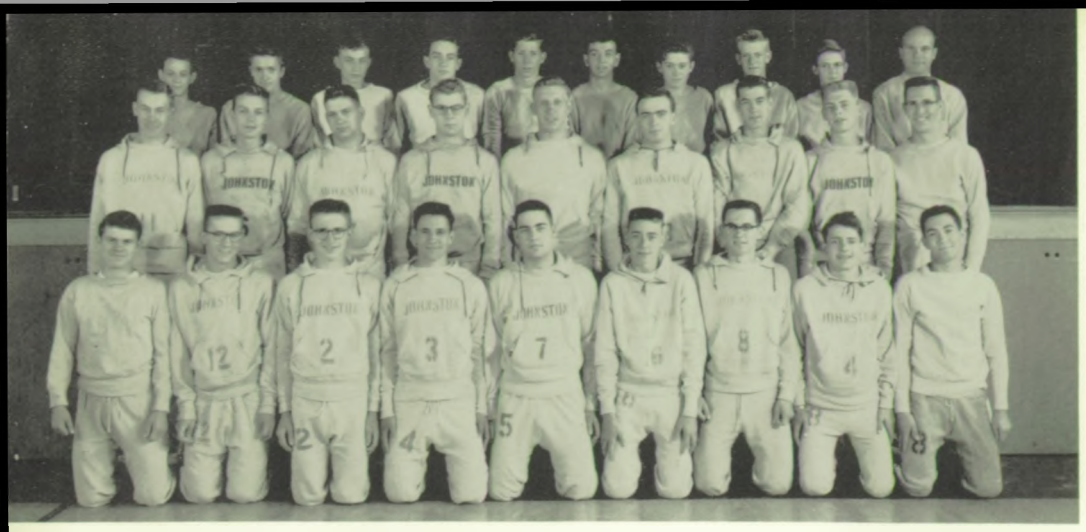












Track Team

First Row: Larry Bowen, Mike Howley, Don Gross, Bill Whalen, Dick Garland, George Heckman, Ron Fraizer, Kenny Madison, Jack Griffith.

Second Row: Dick Betz, Paul Elwell, Kenneth Stifel, Bill Turpin, Allen Betz, Garland Seibert, Donnie Crowell, Alan Fick, Mark Jarvis.

Third Row: Eldon Appling, Harold Belieu, Carroll Brown, Dennis Holmes, Tom Warren, Dean Ashley, Mike Gilligan, John Robinette, Don Jarvis, Mr. Sims.



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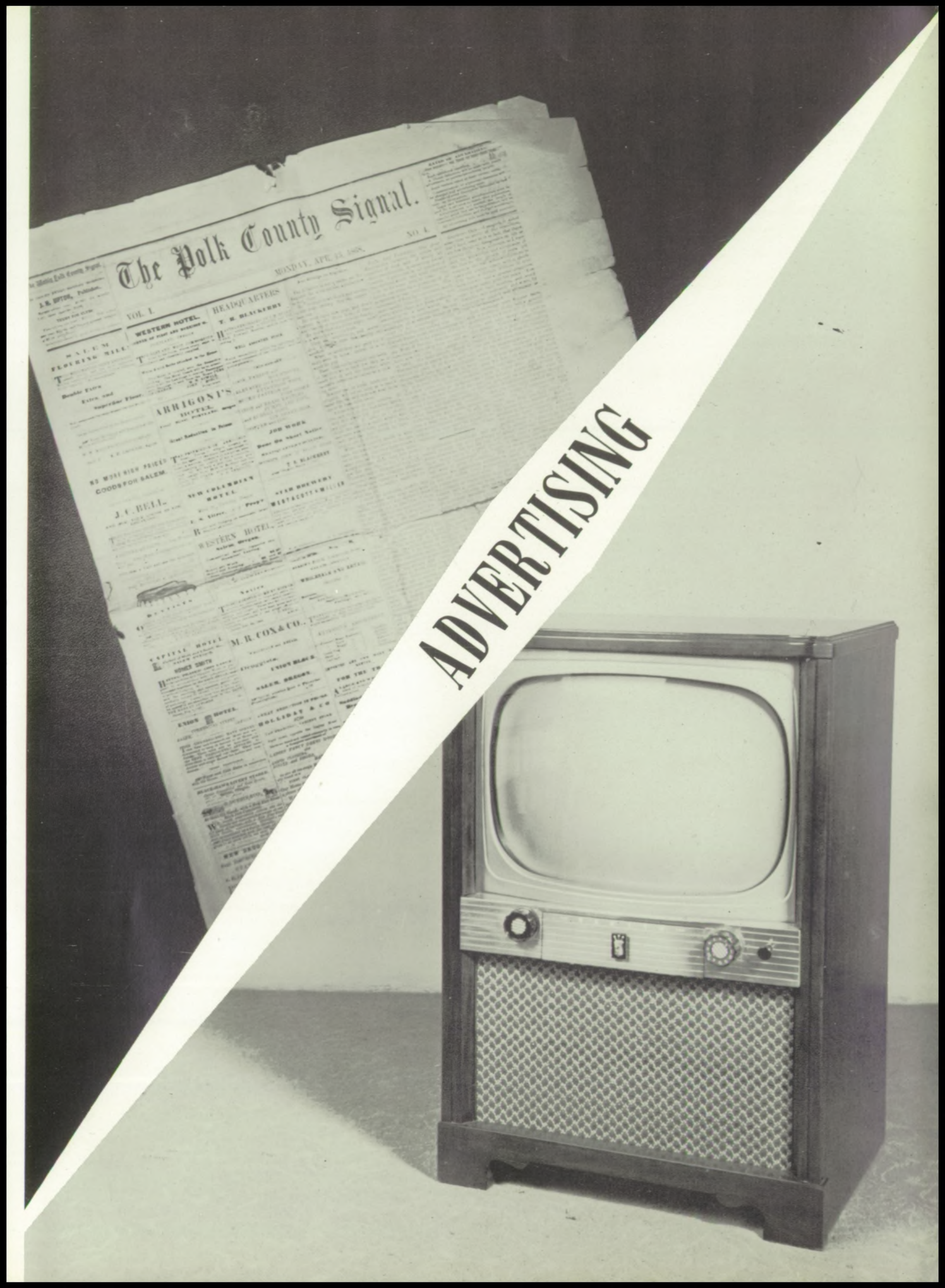
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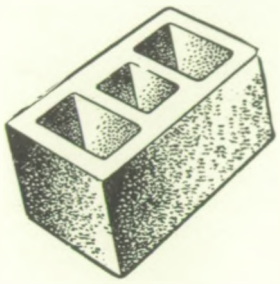
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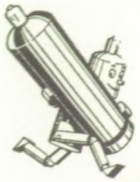
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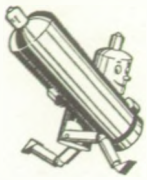
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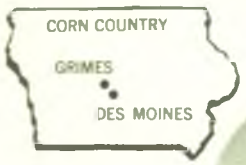
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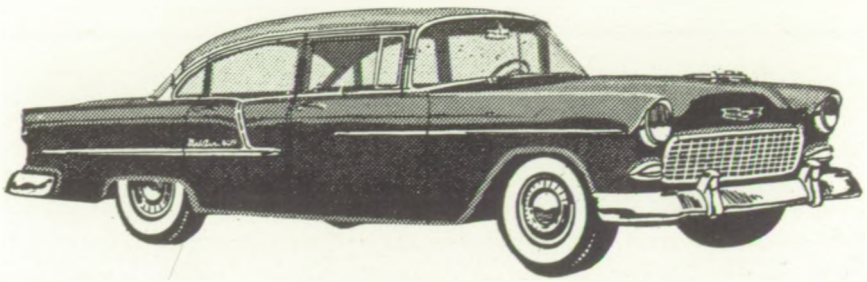
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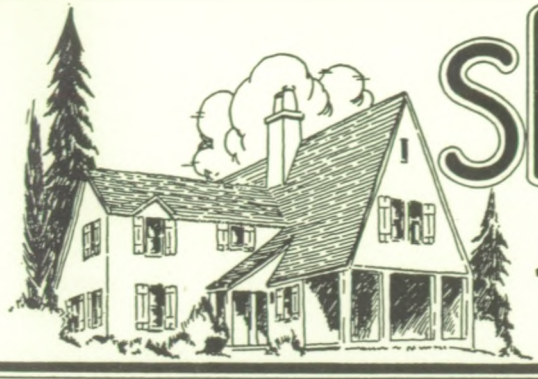
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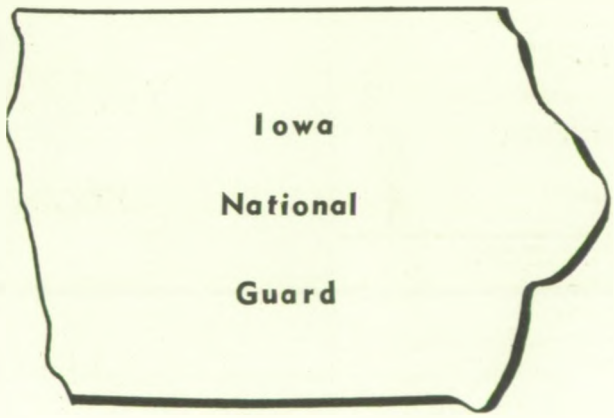
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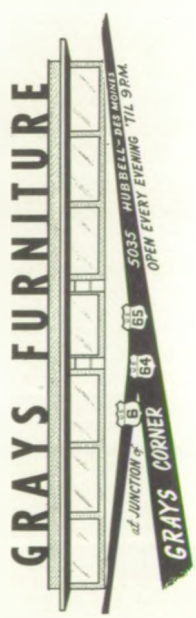
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